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For this section—Partly cloudy tonight and tomorrow; probably thunder showers; slightly warmer tonight.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Master Avery Reed, son of Policeman Samuel Reed is quite sick at his home in North Royal street.

A called meeting of the Columbia Steam Fire Engine Company will be held at 8 o'clock tonight.

Mr. John Metcalfe, who has been ill for several weeks, is able to be out again.

Alexandria Lodge of Elks will initiate several candidates at a meeting which will be held tonight at its home.

In the Corporation Court today Courtland H. Davis was admitted to practice law in that court.

Miss Ethel Crockett and Miss Hattie Ladd have returned from Charlottesville where they visited Miss Ladd's brother, who is in the training camp at that place.

Mrs. H. Herfurth, Sr., and Mrs. R. W. Herfurth, have gone to Paris, Va., where they will spend two weeks.

Mrs. C. E. Bushong and son, Jack, are spending the month of August with her sister, Mrs. W. E. Stonnell, Braddock.

A lawn fete will be given tomorrow evening on the lawn at St. Rita's Catholic Church, Mount Ida, Alexandria county. Many persons from St. Mary's Church, this city ,have planned to attend the affair.

Miss Louisa Jackson Ball, daughter of the Rev. C. E. Ball and Mrs. Ball, of Aldan, Pa., is the guest of Miss Harriet Spofford, at her home in this city.

Mrs. John Travers, Jr., and little Miss Helen Travers accompanied by Miss Rosa Brill have gone to Baltimore and Philadelphia where they will spend ten days visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Pohl, wife of Councilman A. Pohl, of Rosemont, and son, Everett, are at Bluemont, Va., where Mrs. Pohl is recuperating after a serious illness.

Rev. Joseph J. Kelly, pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, has returned from Philadelphia where he spent the past seven weeks. During his absence he underwent an operation for ear trouble from which he ha recovered.

Mrs. M. E. Stone and little granddaughter, Mildred Stone, of Richmond, Va., accompanied by the Misses Virginia Downey and Lena Moore, of this city, are guests at the Blackstone Hotel, Atlantic City, New Jersey.

Mrs. William T. Drowns, of 514 South Fairfax Street, has received a letter from France advising her that her son, William, who is with the American Expeditionary Force, is in excellent health and spirits.

Mrs. Mary Sherwood, nee M'Cracken, wife of Jesse Sherwood, died in Washington on Saturday. The deceased was 79 years old. Mrs. Sherwood resided in Alexandria many years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harris and little son, Master James Braxton Harris, were the guests yesterday of Mrs. Harris' mother, Mrs. B. B. Smith, in the Wagar. They were enroute from Mr. Harris' former home in Franklin county, N. C., to their home in Roanoke and left last night for that city, accompanied by Mrs. Smith, who will spend a week with them.

TWO MANGLED BY TRAIN.

Bodies Found in Fragments on Reading Tracks.

Mahanoy City, Pa., Aug. 12.—Strewn along the Reading Railway the mangled bodies of Capor Povalitis, 23 years old, and Paul Zuba, 30, were found just above the station here at daybreak yesterday by early morning church-goers from Buck Mountain. It is thought they were run down by the same freight train during the night. The bodies were separated by a distance of 200 yards. Povalitis was recently arrested for attempted house breaking.

DELEGATES WILL BE HOUSED
COMMITTEES MEET TONIGHT

Arrangements have been completed for the housing of the 200 visitors, including the delegates, who will attend the annual meeting of the Potomac Baptist Association which will be held in the First Baptist Church in this city Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Announcement to this effect was made last night by the Rev. Dr. E. B. Jackson, paster of the church.

With an associational sermon, which will be delivered Wednesday morning by the Rev. George T. Baker, the association will formally open its sessions. The association will end its meetings early Friday afternoon.

All committees in charge of the arrangements for the association will hold a meeting at 8 o'clock tonight in the lecture room of the First Baptist Church.

HALL'S STORY UNSHAKEN

Murder Suspect Maintains Innocence of Crime of Kiling Eva Roy—Still Held by Fairfax Authorities.

The Fairfax county authorities have not obtained any evidence against Lou Hall, of that county, held on suspicion of the murder of Eva Roy, 15 years old, although Hall is still being held pending a further investigation.

The story of Hall to the effect that he knows nothing about the murder of the little girl is unshaken. Hall's wife has ben closely questioned by the Fairfax county authorities.

The authorities, however, feel that progresss is being made in the case and they expect further developments shortly.

MAKE WAR ODIOUS.

English Liberal Says we Must Disgust Germany With Fighting.

London, Aug. 12.—In an interview in the London Observer, Prof. Gilbert Murray, the distinguished English Liberal publicist, discusses the question of the League of Nations with reference to Germany. He says:

"I believe that it is time to put a stop forever to international piracy. There will be none of it in the future. I believe our principal determination in the present moment is that we will not live in a Europe in which a great power clings as Germany does to the belief that war is a normal instrument of policy. To prevent that I believe that England would keep on fighting until she went under.

"It seems to me that our policy must be as follows: At present Germany in confident of her inner strength and completely cynical about international ideals. She hates the whole conception of a permanent peace and the whole theory of a compulsory adjustment of international disputes by arbitration. She hates it because she feels that she has growing power and has all to gain by fighting. She believes she will be held down and cramped by any system of binding international agreements. Thus our course is sure. What we have to do is make the prospects of actual war fewer and make war hereafter more and more odious to Germany until the scale of the balance of German thought turns. This means that we must make in future not one, but two offensives and that both must be thoroughly active. One must be our military offensive and the other must be a new and enlightened diplomatic offensive."

PURCELL-TRIPP NUPTIALS.

Miss C. Florence Purcell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Purcell, this city, and Henry W. Tripp, sergeant, quartermaster corps of the Marines, were married Saturday evening at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. James A. Tomlin, Del Ray, Alexandria county. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. F. Kelly, of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Special Meeting

The regular meeting of the Royal Arcanum wil lbe held at the Pythian Temple 319 Cameron street, tomorrow (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock.

J. E. Alexander,
Secretary

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Col. E. B. White, former State food administrator, who was a candidate for Congress against Representative C. C. Carlin in the Eighth district last week, is ill of quinsy at his home in Loudoun county.

RUN DOWN SPEEDERS

Reckless Automobilists Made to Pay $10 Each in the Police Court. Military Police Aiding the Local Constabulary in Apprehending Speeders.

Five persons have been arrested since Saturday on the charge of violating the speed limit with automobiles. These arrests were made by members of the municipal police soldiers from Camp Humphreys, some of whom use motorcycles, with which to overtake the offenders. The accused left $10 each for their violations of the law.

Robert Morton and Thos. Sands, both colored, were arrested yesterday by Sergeant Scott and a soldier-policemen on the charg of disorderly conduct. Morton was charged with threatening a member of his race with a pistol. He was fined $20 and Sands $5 for disorderly conduct. It was alleged that both had been drinking.

William Pye and Richard Johnson, both colored, were arrested for vagrancy. Johnson had said, it was alleged, that he had not worked for 35 years and had no intention of laboring. Both were sent to jail for 30 days.

William Baker, the negro who was shot in both legs by a special officer of the Southern Railway Company after he had been attacked by the black, had sufficiently recovered to leave the hospital, and he was arraigned on the charge of transporting whisky into the state. He was held for the grand jury.

Fillis Morrison, colored, charged with carrying a pistol, was fined $50.

Richard Jones, colored, charged with being drunk, was fined $5.

WILL BUILD NEW PIER
AT CAMP HUPMHREYS.

Camp Humphreys, Va., Aug. 12.—Vast improvement of port facilities here now under consideration by army engineers will make Camp Humphreys a port second in importance only to Washington, it became known today.

A giant steel pier and wharves to be erected at White Stone pier is the project. Work may be started almost at once. The location for the proposed improvement is at the end of the peninsula on which the camp is situated. The present temporary structure is placed in a shallow cove, free from the action of river ice in the spring. At White Stone Point there is more than fifty feet of water some seventy-five feet from shore. The depth is sufficient to permit landing of freight and passengers from Norfolk and Washington boats.

The pier will be strong enough to withstand pressure by river ice.

Amusements

GRAND—The extremely interesting announcement is made that tonight the new William Fox production "Cupid's Roundup," will be presented at the Grand Theater.

The hero of this play, Tom Mix, is the new William Fox star, who is one of the great favorites of the screen. At the head of a fine company and with a brilliant red blooded drama, one cannot imagine anything so likely to give good entertainment.

Every one who lives a clean-cut, clever Western play is sure to see this. Tom Mix will receive a big personal welcome.

RICHMOND—Wallace Reid, one of the most popular screen stars in the country, will appear in his latest Paramount photoplay, "Less Than Kin," at the Richmond tonight. This is an exceptional phtoplay, a picturization by Marion Fairfax of Alice Duer Miller's famous novel. It was directed by Donald Crisp, which is a guarantee of its excellence.

SURPRISE—In these days of war and adventure, when the whole country is honoring its sons who go to fight, there is many a girl who envies them in her heart. In Marguerite Clark's latest Famous Players-Paramount picture, "The Amazons," Miss Clark appears as one of three girls who has been brought up as a boy. They wear boy's clothes, swim, ride, fence and box like boys, and are altogether swagger and adorable. "The Amazons" will be shown at the Surprise Theater tonight. Also "The House of Hate."

BIG DEMAND FOR ROOMS

Wives of Officers at Camp Humphreys Looking for Rooms. If you Have Spare Rooms List Them at Once With the Chamber of Commerce.

Just now there is an unusually big demand for rooms in this city. The demand comes from wives of officers and other men stationed at Camp Humphreys, Va.

At the present men are arriving at Camp Humphreys in large numbers nad their wives follow them. The result has been an unusually big demand for rooms.

The Chamber of Commerce announces that the list of rooms furnished that organization for rent has about exhausted and just now they are at a loss to direct persons where to get rooms. It is a patriotic duty to furnish these strangers with rooms and every citizen having rooms should at once list them with the Chamber of Commerce in order that the strangers within our gates may be accommodated without delay. The number of applicants for rooms is increasing daily.

FUNERAL OF S. J. BARNHOUSE
HELD THIS MORNING

The funeral of Sidney J. Barnhouse, who was shot and killed by his daughter, Miss Helen E. Barnhouse, last Friday night, took place at 11 o'clock this morning from Demaine's mortuary chapel. Service were conducted by the Rev. Dr. E. B. Jackson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and burial was made in Bethel cemetery.

WOMAN IN MURDER CASE
PLACED ON TRIAL TODAY

Kathleen Burgess, seventeen years old, who was with Earle Gamble and Robert Newman when ohn P. Werres, Robt. Newman jitney driver was murdered, was placed on trial in the Circuit Court for Alexandria county today for her part in the crime.

Practically the same witnesses who testified at the trial of Gamble, are on hand, and the accused woman is represented by Attorney William Gloth. Her trial is expected to be brief.

Newman, who is accused of having assisted in the murder, will be tried October 28. Gamble already has been tried and sentenced to pay the death penalty.

BOCHE ROUT COMPLETE.

Allies Smash Through Before Teutons Are Ready.

Paris, Aug. 12.—Latest news from the Picardy front indicates that the allies jumped on the Germans just as the latter were preparing for a machine-gun rear-guard resistance, similar to that put up by them on the Ourcq. The allies evidently smashed through before the Germans could get ready.

Officers of all ranks have been captured, some of them in their underclothes, which is further proof of the utter surprise of the allied blow. The German divisions are easily identified, as the troops had no time to remove their marks as they usually do. Only field-gray corpses litter the battlefield. There are scarcely any bodies in khaki or blue.

The French attack is spreading southeast from Montdidier and threatends to include the Soissons area, thus linking the Picardy with the Aisne theater of operations. Such a front would be more than 160 miles long.

Lassingy (fourteen miles southeast of Montdidier) and Roye are already under the fire of allied guns.

A German retirement back to the 1915 line seems tonight extremely probable, under the force and pressure of the impetuous allied armies.

Paris is overjoyed at the progress of events at the front. Every hour brings new cheerful tidings. The sunbathed boulevards were crowded today by truly gay Parisians, celebrating the wiping out of the German threat on the Oise, so hard on the heels of the elimination of the Teuton menace on the Marne.

Compiegne, the northeastern key of the French capital, is definitely saved by the events of the last few days.

Paris, Aug. 12.—All reports show extreme confusion among the enemy forces in their precipitate retreat.

PROBE DAVIS' SANITY

Commission Will Report This Afternoon If James Davis, Colored, Slayer of Prohibition Inspector Shelhorse is Sane. If Sane Will Go to Trial at Once.

A commission of alienists today is engaged examining into the sanity of James Davis, colored, charged with shooting and killing State Prohibition Inspector J. C. Shelhorse, which occurred the evening of June 25 on a southbound train just as the train was entering this city.

On this question will depend whether or not Davis will face a jury in the Corporation Court for the murder of Shelhorse. In the event the commission reports him insane it will stop all of the proceedings and Davis will soon thereafter be conveyed to the asylum for the criminal insane at Marion, Va.

If on the other hand the accused is found to be sane a jury is on hand ready to begin hearing the testimony in the case.

When court conveyed this morning Judge Louis C. Barley announced that he had appointed a lunacy commission to examine into the sanity of the prisoner. This commission is composed of Dr. J. S. De Jarnette, superintendent of the Westeren State Hospital, Staunton, Va., and Dr. Walter A. Warfield, the latter of this city, who also is physician to prisoners at the city jail, and who has had ample opportunity to observe Davis since his incarceration.

The first witness heard was Dr. John E. Lind, from St. Elizabeth's Asylum, Washington. He was one of the physicians who looked after Davis when the latter was a patient in that institution several years ago.

Davis next went before the commission. He was closely questioned and shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon the commission adjourned for lunch and resumed its probe into Davis' sanity at 2 o'clock. The commission hardly will complete its labors before 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The jury which may sit in the case of Davis in the event he is declared sane was adjourned over by Judge Barley until 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The state prohibition officials are deeply interested in this case. This was evidenced by the fact that Rev. J. Sidney Peters, state prohibition commissioner, is here and J. D. Hank, Jr., assistant attorney general of the state, Richmond, also is here. The latter came here at the suggestion of Commonwealth's Attorney Samuel G. Brent and will assist in the prosecution of the case in the event it comes to trial.

Attorney Robinson represents the prisoner.

The following sixteen compose the venire summoned for the purpose of securing a jury of twelve to sit in the case: Silas Devers, Joseph H. West, William Campbell, Walter M. Beach, Samuel M. Pulman, James Smythe, Smith Williams, John D. Normoyle, Charles T. Blunt, Arthur Herbert, Jr., William E. Hinken, Virgil T. Bain, Elmer I. Alexander, Alexander K. Stratton, Charles E. Dare and John D. Brown.

About fifteen witnesses have been summoned in the case among whom are two prohibition inspectors who were with Shelhorse on the train at the time. It is expected that the case, if it comes to trial, will occupy at least two days.

Self defense is to be the plea of the accused in the event he is tried it is stated.

Shelhorse endeavored to assist in the arrest of Davis the night of June 25 while the latter was on a southbound train.

The two other inspectors already had grappled with the accused man, he being suspected of having more whisky than the law allows to be brought into the state. Just when Shelhorse put in his appearance Davis shot him.

Shelhorse dropped to the car floor and was taken off at the railway station and conveyed to the Alexandria Hospital where he died several hours afterward.

Davis jumped from the train after the shooting and after a short chase he was captured by a soldier and others and brought to police headquarters. Davis when taken in custody had $1,264.72 in his possession. He claimed he saved this mouey as the result of laboring work.

TWO THOUSAND FEVER PROOF; FIVE HUNDRED VACCINATED.

Approximately 2,000 persons in this city thus far have been inoculated against typhoid fever and 500 vaccinated to prevent smallpox, according to Dr. W. L. Wood, in charge of the United States Public Health Service here.

Dr. Wood stated this morning that he is anxious to have as many as can do so come forward and be inoculated and vaccinated. There is no charge for the work.

CHAULNES IS CAPTURED

36,000 Prisoners, 500 Guns, And High Officers Taken; Six Decimated Divisions Replaced by Hun.

London, Aug. 12 (9:40 a. m.)—German casualties on the new Picardy battlefront are now reliably estimated at more than 100,000.

Paris, Aug. 12. (10:20 a. m.)—The number of German prisoners taken in the new drive is estimated by Le Matin at nearly 40,000, with more than 700 guns captured.

Thirty-one new divisions have been identified in Picardy, making a total of 114 divisons (probably 1,368,000 men) used since July 15.

Paris, Aug. 12.—The French First army, advancing in the face of a stiffened German resistance northeast of Montdidier, has occupied the village of Marquivillers, which lies only three miles and a quarter southwest of Roye, the nerve center of the German Picardy pocket.

Grivillers Village, four miles and a quarter southwest of Roye and situated on the Montdidier-Roye Railway, also has been taken by the French, tonight's war office communique announces.

The night communique further shows that the French righ, pressing northeastward north of the Oise, have pushed ahead to within only six and one-half miles of Noyon, the southern pivot of the whole German Picardy front. The village of Cambronne, which is that distance from Noyon, has been captured. Machemont Village, two and three-quarter miles below Cambronne, also is in French hands.

Between Montdidier and Noyon the French have reached the outskirts of Canny-sur-Matz, less than two miles slightly northeast of of Lassigny and a little more than eight miles northwest of Noyon.

London, Aug. 12.—Chaulnes, the important railway town in the heart of the Somme battle front and key to the southern line of the German salient, has been captured by the allies. The capture was effected by Australian and Canadian troops.

Paris, Aug .12.—The number of prisoners taken so far in the allied offensive in Picardy is now estimated at 36,000, including more than 1,000 officers. More than 500 guns have been captured, according to the latest advices.

The pivot of the German resistance at this stage of the battle, it now appears, is the town of Noyon, about midway between Montdidier and Soissons. The enemy is throwing in reserves from this base in an effort to prevent, regardless of cost, the allies from gaining control of the Noyon-Ham road, which is choked with material, guns and troops.

The Germans are expected to make a desperate strand on the Roye-Noyon line to permit the columns which are retreating in the direction of Nesle and Ham to reach safety.

The resistance of the Germans is stiffening against the Fourth British army under Gen. Rawlinson. They are reaching violently in the region of Lihons, which changed hands twice during the night, but which this morning was firmly held by the British.

In Memoriam.

BABER—In loving memory of our dear little boy, ROBERT E. BABER, who left us six months ago today, February 12, 1918.

Oft from my heart comes the bitter cry,
"Why, O, why did my dear one die?"
Then comes the answer so solemn and sweet:
"Your loved one's not dead, he's only asleep."
Fold him, O Lord, in Thine arms and let him peacefully be,
A message of love between our aching hearts and Thee.

By his mother,
Mrs. Ashby L. Baber.

MURDER YESTERDAY

Charles Williams, Colored, Shot and Killed by Lonnie Thorp, Colored. Affray Took Place In Fairfax County—Murderer Escapes.

Charles Willilams, colored, about 25 years old, whose home was in Baltimore, was shot and killed yesterday afternoon by Lonnie Thorp, colored. The shooting took place at a railroad cnstruction camp where a number of men are employed in the work of building a railroad between Camp Humphreys and Mount Vernon, Fairfax county.

Following the shooting a coroner's jury was summoned by Justice F. W. Troth of that county and they gave a verdict to the effect that Williams cam to his death from a pistol shot wound fired from a pistol in the hands of Thorp.

Immediately following the shooting Thorp fled from the place and has not yet been apprehended.

According to reports received in this city of the affair the men had been engaged in a game of cards and Williams proved the winner of the game. It is reported that afterward Thorp came up to him without provocation and fired the fatal shot.

The body of Williams was brought to this city and taken to Demaine's mortuary chapel and prepared for burial.

CLUB AGAIN POPULAR; CROWDS COMING AGAIN; BREAKFAST FOR SIXTY

The week-end just passed proved to be a busy time at the Enlisted Men's Club, maintained by the Alexandria War Camp Community Service. The number of enlisted men coming to the club was considerably greater than has been the case since the quarantine was placed on the town. Saturday afternoon and evening and all day Sunday saw the clubhouse crowded with men who came to play billiards, to read or write, or just to loaf. Saturday evening the regular dance was held, and on Sunday morning the ladies of Christ Church served breakfast to about sixty men, most of whom had slept at the club the previous night. About one hundred cots are now at the disposal of the men on the third floor of the club building.

R. A. Hoyer, the executive secretary, in speaking of the week-end, said that the number of men coming in from camp would increase each week, as the men learned that they could once again secure somehting to eat in Alexandria.

HEART AND SOUL IN WAR.

The Rev. Sir George Smith Finds America Aroused.

New York, Aug. 12.—After traveling more than 20,000 miles and delivering 119 addresses in every part of the United States, Sir George Adam Smith, the Scottish clergyman, who has been making a speaking tour of the country under the auspices of the national committee on the churches and the moral aims of the war, reports to the Bureau of Information of the British War Mission that the American people everywhere are fully aroused and heart and soul in the war.

"From a very wide experience in all parts of the country and among all classes, says Sir George. "I am sure that the conscience, the heart, the will and all the boundless energies of the United States are thoroughly and intelligently enlisted in the war. This is as true of the more German centers as of the rest of the country. I had nowhere a more cordial reception for my message than in St. Louis, Cincinnati and Milwaukee and among men with German names. My chairmen and other speakers were frequently men of German descent," Sir George came to America last March.

"The mission with which I was charged," says Sir George, "was twofold: to enforce the moral aims common to the Allies and to tell the part which Great Britain has taken in the war.

"I found everywhere an enthusiastic response to these sentiments and arguments. I know that the American people are convinced of the justice of our common cause and resolute to carry it through on these moral issues which Germany has forced on the world."

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COMING TO THE LIGHT.

Through the windows of the press the light of truth is making its way into the German consciousness. Professor Delbrueck finds so much in common in the views of the belligerents that he has to discuss in the Prussian year book the reasons why they go on fighting, and then he timidly asks: "Are the others alone to blame, or is not our own policy somewhat at fault for the fact that we cannot get together to talk about peace?"

The Dusseldorf Nachrichten makes an observation that cannot but startle any German who pauses to take in its meaning: "For though it is true that the end might come quickly it could only be an end of terror, as in Russia."

Vorwaerts, addressing the German working classes, says the illusion of German invincibility has been shattered: "The German people at last realize the colossal gravity of the situation. Let us have courage to admit that so long as the war is not ended it is not won, and can be lost."

The Bremen Buerger Zeitung, organ of the majority Socialists, says: "Black and dark is the hour, but no refreshing breath of freedom and civil equality blows through the oppressive night of our discontent."

The Arbeiter Zeitung, of Vienna, says to the Austrian Socialists: "All explanations and comments cannot alter the patent fact that in this double offensive the gain of ground, and consequently the only visible sign of success, is on the Allied side."

The Berlin Tageblatt described the unprecedented depression and disheartenment created by the news of the defeat on the Marne, although the official news agencies were insisting that there was merely a strategic retreat, punctuated by brilliant victories.

A continuation of four months of varied success and German defeats and retreats, together with the approach of the cold weather and a further restriction of food supplies, will alter the situation in Germany. The present degree of depression there is almost entirely the product of the past four months, and most of it has been produced by the last three weeks. Remember the gloomy reflection of the Dusseldorf paper that nobody looking into the future can see any end to this war, "for, though it is true that the end might come quickly, it could only be an end of terror, as in Russia." This looks bad for Kaiserism, as all autocracies look alike to the Avenging Furies.

THE MOSQUITO.

Alexandria has ever abounded in mosquitos during summer weather. The regular appearance of these pests is attributed to the continuity of the city to the Potomac river and numerous marshes. Mosquitos, however, are bred in other places, and it behooves all to eliminate such places,

August marks the beginning of the worst mosquito season of the year in some parts of Virginia and is, in consequence, made miserable for many people by the prevalence of malaria. In a short statement on this subejct, issued by the State Board of Health, the people are reminded of certain facts in connection with mosquitoes and malaria as follows:

"Malaria does not come from Miasma, swamps or water ;it is carried by a certain type of mosquito that breeds only in stagnant or slowly running water. In a bulletin that was issued some time ago, the State Board of Health tells how to get rid of the places that furnish breeding spots for mosquitos, and gives rules, simple and easy to follow for draining dangerous ground.

'In case the breeding of the mosquito cannot be prevented, householders should screen their houses very carefully to keep the pests out. If this is impossible, people should take small doses of quinine during the malarial season.

"When a householder finds mosquitoes about his place he should not blame Providence or his neighbors. On the contrary, he should look about the premises and he will undoubtedly find the breeding places of the pest. It should be remembered that the mosquito will breed in an old tin can containing a little water as well as in a stagnant pond."

GATHER UP THE FRAGMENTS.

We read daily of the shortage of food in other countries. Bread is rationed to the inhabitants of many places, and the staff of life is becoming scarcer and scarcer as this terrible war continues. Attention is often directed to the unnecessary waste in America, where people have long been blessed in basket and store. Although the war is drawing upon our resources, waste is often apparent. While walking north on Fairfax street early this morning we saw an entire loaf of bread lying in our path.

A letter came to Mr. Hoover the other day, from a little girl in a Scotch mining town. She thanks him for the unselfishness of the American people, contrasting them with the Germans, who she is "jolly well sure would not have the heart in them to look after any land but itself, unless they wanted something in return."

It makes you wonder just how unselfish you have been, to read these quaint little notes about the "foodstuffs" that have reached English homes through America.

They are rationed over there. The little Scotch girl says, "I miss all the puddings and nice sweet meats, but we can llive without them and I will economize as much as possibe. When Saturady or Sunday night comes our sugar, butter, and jam are finished and we must wait till Monday before we can receive our rations. It is a hard time, but if we mean to win the war, we must take what comes as long as it helps to shorten the war."

GERMANY'S EBBING TIDE.

The great success of the Franco-British forward movement over a wide front in Picardy, followed by a renewal of British activity in Flanders, where several villages are reported to have been captured, seems to indicate a serious loss in manpower by the Germans.

This second overwhelming defeat of the Germans in the brief space of three weeks must have completely disorganized whatever plans the General Staff may have formed for either an offensive or defensive campaign. The big advance made by the French, a dozen miles or more, has made the Montdidier salient more than ever a menace to the Germans, and it is inevitable that they must withdraw there or run the risk of being pocketed by their opponents.

After this fresh evidence of the striking power of the Allies there is not likely to be any more foolish talk about a "German peace." Germany is beaten now, as the military and political leaders perfectly well understand. It may fight on, just as the Confederacy did after Gettysburg and Vicksburg, but the outcome is certain, no matter how long it may be delayed.

CONSERVING PAPER.

The War Industries Board, in order to conserve white paper and to lessen the transportation burden upon the railroads, has placed certain rigid restrictions upon the amount of reading matter in newspapers, which became effective, for daily newspapers, today, August 12, and for Sunday papers on September 1.

This is a movement in a good direction. That an unnecessary amount of paper is wasted daily, especially on Sundays, is a patent fact. Entire sections of Sunday papers are often found driven by the wind upon the streets of all cities, while great stacks of unsold papers are returned to the publishers every week.

KAISER'S DAYS FEW.

According to the prediction of a fortune-teller, the Kaiser has but three days to live.

Kaiser William will commit suicide on August 15, if the predictions of a Gypsy woman riding on a Clifton Height-bound trolley car of the Philadelphia & West Chester line come true. In a discussion of the war, the Gypsy said:

"The war will soon be over and the United States will be the big factor in its ending. The Kaiser will commit suicide on August 15, and if my prediction does not come true, I will never tell fortunes of people's life histories again. Yes, you can bet your very life that the Kaiser will commit suicide on that date."

The Fourth Liberty Loan.

The campaign for the Fourth Liberty Loan will begin September 28 and close October 19. The result of the loan will be watched with keen interest in Europe, not only by our associates in the war against the Teutonic powers but by our enemies. It will be regarded by them as a measure of the American people's support of the war.

The Germans know full well the tremendous weight and significance of popular support of the war, of the people at home backing up the Army in the field. As the loan succeeds our enemies will sorrow; as it falls short they will rejoice. Every dollar subscribed will help and encourage the American soldiers and hurt and depress the enemies of America.

The loan will be a test of the loyalty and willingness of the people of the United States to make sacrifices compared with the willingness of our soldiers to do their part. There must be and will be no failure by the people to measure up to the courage and devotion of our men in Europe. Many of them have given up their lives; shall we at home withhold our money? Shall we spare our dollars while they spare not their very lives?

PLATT ADAMS.

Now in France as Athletic Director of the Y. M. C. A. Tells Why he Went Over.

Platt Adams, who won the world's standing high jump championship at the Olympic contest in Stockholm and was second in the standing broad jump, has joined the host of noted athletes who have gone to France for the Y. M. C. A. He will instruct our troops in track and field events and also in baseball as a means of keeping up their morale and to keep them from becoming muscle-bound from too long-continued military drill. He had been engaged in athletic work for the Red Triangle in New York and induced a number of men prominent in the athletic world to volunteer their services. When the recent intensive week's campaign for recruits for the overseas service closed, Mr. Adams asked to be relieved of his duties here and be sent to France.

Mr. Adams is considered the greatest all around jumper in the world. He was consistent in his broad and high jumping and few could equal him in either. He did not confine himself to jumping, but was a good all around athlete. He was an excellent shot putter, pole vaulter, hurdler, and sprinter in the days when sports engaged his attention.

A short time before he left for France he went out one morning to see if his skill as a jumper had deserted him. He had not trained for fully two years, yet he easily cleared six feet at a running high jump.

Mr. Adams was not a college athlete. He received all of his training at the New York Athletic Club after he was twenty-one years old. He believes that to the fact that he did not begin his training until he had his full growth and to the further fact that he had no college athletics he owes his great strength and the success that came to him in field and track meets in this country and abroad. In addition to his international achievements, Mr. Adams won the national championship in the broad and high standing jump in half a dozen or more contests.

"I am going to France," said Mr. Adams just before sailing, "because I think I can be of most service to our troops there. Of course, I shall instruct whatever men are placed in my charge in track and field events as my training fits me best for the work, but I shall also organize baseball nines. I believe that the soldiers should acquire versatility in athletics for its recreational value and to prevent becoming muscle-bound.

"The Y. M. C. A. cannot supply directors for all of our military units in France and it hopes to develop in each company or regiment several men who can be taught to act as directors after the "Y" man has gone to some other unit.

"The Y. M. C. A. needs more athletic directors in France," continued Mr. Adams," and it has been my contention right along that the more famous the athlete is the better for the "Y" for the simple reason that big names attract attention to the work the Red Triangle is doing for our troops in France and draw others into the service."

VIRGINIA NEWS

Virgil and Leo Shenks, sons of John Edward Shenks, of Springfield district, Page county, were drowned Saturday evening when a storm caused the sudden rise of a stream over which they were passing on an improvised foot bridge. The Shenks boys with their father had been spending the day with the family of the Rev. E. G. Helminteller at Rileyville, five miles from their home. On their way home, folowing the lead of two companions, the Shenks boys started across the bridge and when about midway of the stream were swept down the swift current. Witnesses who saw the drowning say the boys made heroic efforts to save themselves in the seven feet of water. Their bodies were recovered soon afterward.

The Winchester and Western Railroad, now under construction from Winchester to Wardensville, W. Va., has been washed out in many places between Nailville and Gore by a cloudburst, a number of bridges were swept away. High winds stripped many trees in the commercial apple orchards west of Winchester. Lightning killed eleven heifers on Harlan Tabbs' farm, a registered bull at John Marker's and hogs and cattle on farms of H. Clay Begrange and Joseph Baker.

The stockholders of the Valley Turnpike Company met Saturday in Harirsonburg, by an almost unanimous vote accepted the State's proposition whereby the Commonwealth is to take over, own and maintain the property of the company. According to the desire of the stockholeirs of the Valley Turnpike will become the property of the State on September 1, when the Commonwealth will come into possession of 92 miles of limestone macadam road, all of which has ben treated with dustless bituminous road binder.

During the heavy storm in Charlottesville Friday night, lightning killed nine fine steers belonging to R. L. Thomas, of this city. The animals, which wer grazing in a field near Monticello, were valued at over $1,000. H. W. Vandevender, residing about two miles west of Ivy Depot, had four cows killed by lightning during the same storm.

Word has been received of the rescue of survivors of the crew of the large fishing schooner Amanda Lewis, owned by the Elias Edwards Company, of Reedsville, which was sunk in a storm at North Channel a week ago. The vessel was commanded by Capt. Mitchell Dize. Her crew of twenty-four was from Tangier Island. Willie Cooper, the mess boy, got caught in a heavy engine and was the only one drowned. The remainder of the crew dived through the forward hatchway, catching the rigging and following the mast up as the boat sank. John Dize, a member of the crew, cut loose one of the seine boats, to which the crew clung. After being adrift several hours, the men sighted the schooner Wagner, which rescued them.

Reggie, the sixteen-year-old son of Captain J .W. Sowers, Norfolk and Western Railway conductor, was shot and killed yesterday afternoon in a Boy Scout camp near Lynchburg by a fellow scout. The ball from a rifle, accidentally discharged, penetrated the lad's abdomen.

WANTED—Two lady clerks to take charge of household department; no experince required; middle aged prefered. R. E. Knight & Son, 621 King st. 190-tf

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To the People of Alexandria
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LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 24th day of June, 1918.

Frank Dade, complainant, vs. Janie Wicks Dade, Defendant.

Memo.—The object of this suit is to obtain for the complaint from the defendant, a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of desertion for more than three years. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Janie Wicks Dade, is a non-resident of this state: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit.

Edmund Hill, Jr., P. Q. A copy—Teste.

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

150-4w

VIRGINIA—In the clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 18th day of July, 1918.

Goldie R. Schaeffer, complainant, vs. Max Schaeffer, defendant. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; custody of infant child, and general relief. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Max Schaeffer, is a non-resident of this state: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

Robinson Moncure, P. Q. A copy—Teste.

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

171-4w

VIRGINIA—In the clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of August, 1918.

Joseph Sampson vs. Annie Sampson. In chancery.

Memo.—The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant, a divorce a mensa et thoro from the defendant on the ground of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment and for special relief. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Annie Sampson, is a non-resident of this state: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit.

Edmund Hill, jr., P. Q. A copy—Teste.

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

186-4w

VIRGINIA—In the clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of August, 1918.

City Council of Alexandria, which sues for itself and for such other lien creditors as may come into, take part in and share the expenses of this suit,

Charles Dearborn. In chancery.

Memo.—The object of this suit is to subject the following property, viz: That lot of ground with the improvements thereon on the West side of Lee street between Wolfe and Wilkes streets in the City of Alexandria, Va., and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the West side of Lee (formerly Water) street, to the Southward of Wolfe street, at the distance of thirty feet North of the South line of the ground conveyed to William H. Markley by John Jamieson and wife, by deed dated Aug. 1, 1851, and running North with Lee (formerly Water) street 20 feet 8 inches; then West parallel to Wolfe street 80 feet to a 12 foot alley leading into Wolfe street; then South with said alley and parallel to Lee street (formerly Water) 20 feet 8 inches, and then by a straight line to the beginning, with the use of said alley and also an alley 3 feet wide and 40 feet deep running into Lee (formerly Water) street, in common with the occupants of the ground adjoining on the South, 8 inches of the width of said 3 foot alley to be taken from the lot above described to the payment of the state and city taxes due thereon, and to the payment of the debts of said Chas. Dearborn. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Chas. Dearborn is a non-resident of this state: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this city.

H. Noel Garner, P. Q. A copy—Teste:

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

186-4w

VIRGINIA—In the clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 30th day of July, 1918.

Marion R. M. Iglehart vs. John W. Iglehart.

Memo.—The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; custody of infant child; and resumption of maiden name, and for general relief. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, John W. Iglehart, is a non-resident of this state: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

Robinson Moncure, P. Q., A copy—Teste.

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

By Cora Duffey, D.

182-4w

VIRGINIA—In the clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 30th day of July, 1918.

Maggie Winslow vs. Esau Winslow. In chancery.

Memo.—The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the filing of this suit and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Esau Winslow, is a non-resident of this state: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

E. Hill, jr., P. Q. A copy—Teste.

Nevel S. Greenaway, Clerk.

By Cora Duffey, D. C.

182-4w

VIRGINIA—In the clerk's office of the circuit court of the City of Alexandria, on the 18th day of July, 1918.

Edith M. Jones vs. Robert F. Jones. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant a divorce a mensa et thoro on the ground of cruelty and desertion. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Robert F. Jones, is a non-resident of this state: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

Edmund Hill, jr., and Thomas Walker, P. Q. A copy—Teste.

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

171-4w

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA—In the clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 23d day of July, 1918.

Lottie A. Connelly, who sues for herself and all other creditors of Harry E. Connelly, deceased, who may come in and contribute to the costs of this suit, and in her own right as widow, and also as guardian for Myrtle L. Connelly, an infant, complainant, vs. R. H. Cox, sergeant administrator of Harry E. Connelly, deceased, Myrtle L Connelly, an infant, 11 years of age, and F. P. Russell, her guardian ad litem, Annie Connelly, widow, Spencer Connelly, Paul Connelly, Bertie C. Lynch, Mattie C. Fisher, Della Connelly, Sallie C. Carroll and Augusta Parsly, defendants. In chancery.

Memo.—The object of this suit is to subject the estate real and personal of Harry E. Connelly, deceased, to the payment of his debts; to settle the account of his personal representative: for partition of the real estate of which he died seized among those entitled, and commutation of widow's dower: for sale of the real estate of the infant Myrtle L. Connelly and application of the proceeds to her maintainance, schooling and support, and for settlement and distribution of his estate, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Annie Connelly, widow; Spencer Connelly, Paul Connelly, Bertie C. Lynch, Mattie C. Fisher, Della Connelly, Sallie C. Carroll and Augusta Parsly, are non-residents of this state: It is ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Robinson Moncure, P. Q. A copy—Teste.

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

By Cora Duffey, Deputy Clerk.

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of July 1918.

Cora Cupid Mitchell, Complainant, vs. William Mitchell, Defendant, In Chauncery.

MEMO. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; resumption of maiden name, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit feild in this cause that the defendant is a non-resident of thiss State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publicaton of this order, and do what is neccessary to protect their interests in this suit.

Robinson Moncure, P. Q.

A copy—Teste,

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

VIRGINIA—In the clerk's office of the corporation court of the City of Alexandria, on the 19th day of July, 1918.

Ralph E. Campbell vs. Thelma D. Campbell. In chancery.

Memo.—The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony upon the grounds of adultery. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Thelma D. Campbell, is a non-resident of this state: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit.

J. R. and H. B. Caton, P. Q. A copy—Teste.

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

By—

Cora Duffey, D. C.

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 24th day of June, 1918.

Leana Green (otherwise known as Naomi Green), complainant, vs. R. Green (otherwise known as Robert Green), defendant. In Chancery.

Memo.—The object of this suit is monii upon the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, R. Green (otherwise known as Robert Green), is a non-resident of this state: It is ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

Thomas Walker and Edmund Hill, Jr., P. Q. A copy—Teste.

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 27th day of June 1918.

Richard I. Latham, vs. In Chancery. Hattie M. Latham.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant, an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit in this cause that the defendant Hattie M. Latham is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication o fthis order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit.

Robinson Moncure, P. Q.

A Copy—Teste, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk. 154-4w

ANTI-BOLSHEVIKI MOVE.

Revolution Against the Regime is Growing Rapidly.

London, Aug. 12.—The anti-Bolsheviki movement in Russia is growing rapidly. The Bolsheviki Soviet organization has virtually gone to pieces and Nikolai Lenine, the Premier, and Leon Trotzky, his War Minister, intend to flee to Germany should the situation become to serious, according to recent Russian newspapere, the Exchange Telegraph Sorrespondent at Copenhagen telegraphs.

The Petrograd newspaper Isvestia is quoted by the correspondent as stating that at several points "In that part of Russia not occupied by the enemy" counter revolutionary movements have broken out in a number of towns. The Bolsheviki soviets have been overthrown in these places and replaced by councils consisting og representatives of the Mensheviki, or moderates.

In the city of Kazan, the newspaper adds, the widely known Bolsheviki leader Olschinsky has been killed, while there has been great bloodshed among the Bolsheviki in the Novorod and Riazan districts.

Morris Myers and his fiancee, both of Baltimore, were drowned at Avondale shore, Bear creek, Saturday afternoon when Myers was trying to teach the young woman to swim.

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Six dozen women's 50c fancy hose, pair 39c
Three dozen women's 50c brassieres, now 35c
Women's $1 middy blouses, now 69c
Women's $2.50 and $3.50 fancy parasols, now $1.49
Women's $4.98 fancy parasols, now $2.98
Men's $1.50 and $2.00 athletic union suits, now 98c
Men's $1.25 and $1.50 fancy shirts, now 98c
Men's $1.00 summer underwear, now 69c
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AUCTION SALES.

Commissioner's Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

Pursuant to the terms of a certain decree entered in the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 18th day of July, 1918, in the Chancery Cause of Alexandria National Bank, etc., vs. J. Reece Caton et als., the undersigned Special Commissioners appointed by said decree will offer for sale at public auction on SATURDAY, AUGUST 17TH, 1918, at 3 p. m., in front of the premises the undivided one-fourth (1-4) interest of Geo. T. Caton in and to all of that certain lot of ground and improvements thereon situated in the said city of Alexandria, Virginia, beginning on the south side of Cameron street, 60 feet east of Fayette street and running thence east on Cameron street 25 feet and thence south between parallel lines 100 feet to an alley, and being known as 1116 Cameron street. This property is improved by a seven room frame dwelling in good condition, and is well located.

Terms of sale: Cash. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

C. E. Nicol, A. B. Nicol, Special Commissioners.

I certify that the bond required in this case has been duly executed by C. E. Nicol, active commissioner, with sufficient surety.

Teste:

183-t f. Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a decree entered in the Corporation Court on the 10th day of July, 1918, in the partition suit therein pending wherein Marion B. Leary et vir, are complainants, and Mary Kirkpatrick and others are defendants, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction, in the city of Alexandria, on Fairfax street, in front of the Courthouse, on Wednesday, August 7, 1918, at 11 o'clock a. m. all that lot of ground improved by a brick store and warehouse, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING on the north side of King rsteet at the east line of a lot formerly conveyed by Allison and wife to Patton and Finely, supposed to be 60 feet east of Water street (now Lee street) and running thence east on King street 30 feet, more or less, thence north parallel with Water street (now Lee street) 81 feet to an alley 30 feet wide; thence west on said alley parallel to King street 30 feet more or less, thence south parallel witha water street (now Lee street) in a straight line to the beginning.

Terms of sale one-fourth cash and balance in six, twelve and eighteen months or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

Conveyancing at the cost of purchaser.

J. K. M. Norton,
Commissioner of Sale.

I hereby certify that J. K. M. Norton, commissioner of sale has given the bond for surety as required by decree appointing him commissioner of sale at the July term, 1918.

Nevel S. Greenaway, Clerk.
176-tf By Cora Duffey, D. C.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE—Sale of three desirable houses and lots, Alexandria, Va.

By virtue of and pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust dated April 10, 1916, executed by William Kyer and Louisa Kyer, his wife, to Robinson Moncure, as trustee, and of record in Deed Book No. 65, page 239 of the land records of Alexandria City, Va., at the written request and direction of the party thereby secured, by the said deed of trust, in front of the Royal street entrance to the market house, in Alexandria City, Va., on SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, 1918, at 12 o'clock M., those three parcels of ground with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, located on the East side of Pitt street between Pendleton and Oronoco streets, with improvements and appurtenances, in Alexandria City, Va., and bounded as follows, to-wit:

First—Begining at a point on the East side of Pitt street 110 feet North of Oronoko street and at the North line of an alley 16 feet wide, and running thence North on Pitt street 16 feet 9 inches, and running back Eastward the same width and along said alley 110 feet to another alley 35 feet wide, with right of way over said alleys, and being acquired by said William Kyer from the Fogust heirs by deed recorded in Liber 60, page 95;

Second—Begining at the northwest corner of the aforementioned lot and running thence North on Pitt street to a point which is the southwest corner of Charles Gaskins' lot, being 16 feet in front and running back the same width 110 feet to said 35-foot alley, with right of way thereover and being acquired from Jones and Harrison by deed recorded in Liber 45, page 105;

Third—Beginning at a point on the East side of Pitt street 160 feet North of Oronoco street, and running thence North on Pitt street 16 feet 8 inches, and running back the same width 110 feet to said alley with right of way thereover, and being acquired also from Jones and Harrison by deed recorded in Liber 24, page 38, all said records referring to Alexandria City Land Records.

The said land is improved by three nice houses.

Terms of Sale—Cash. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers.

Robinson Moncure,
186-e.o.d. Trustee.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Berlin correspondent of the Munich Post writes: "On the same day that Ludendorff confessed our strategic plans had failed at the Marne. He made a speech at Hamburg wherein he said that the Turkish attache had just told him he considered the Marne battle a German victory." The correspondent adds a few remarks about "the attempts of certain official circles to conceal the truth from the German people. They have done incalculable harm and are largely responsible for the public bitterness."

Mrs. Gladys Dunn, 35, wife of J. Allen Dunn, author and scenario writer, and daughter of E. H. Courvoiser, a San Francisco art dealer, while trying to take her own life yesterday at Lenox, Mass., missed her aim and sent a bullet through the head of her 2-year-old son. The child was rushed to the hospital where it was said he would die. The shooting took place in the Dunn home on the Pittsfield road. Mrs. Dunn was adjudged insane shortly after the shooting and sent to the State asylum at Northampton.

The latest rumor from the western front is that the Kaiser never goes anywhere unless accompanied by one of the greatest nerve specialists in Berlin.

Destruction by a German submarine of nine fishing schooners off the Massachusetts coast was announced late last night by the Navy Department. The loss of life is unknown.

The grain storage elevator at Camp Meade, Md., was struck by lightning about 8 o'clock Saturday night and was destroyed. Several hay stacks nearby also were set afire and consumed. The elevator stood near the ordnance depot and remount station and was across the road from the hay shed that burned about a week ago, at an estimated loss of $50,000.

During a severe storm that swept over the Cumberland Valley, Friday Harry Robinson, tenant on the J. Sollenberger farm, three miles from Churchill, Md., was severely stunned by a bolt of lightning that ran down a spout, under which he was dipping water. His shirt was torn off and one foot was badly burned. A Cumberland Valley Railway train was compelled to stop three times to remove large trees that had been blown on the track. Teh corn crop was badly damaged and many apple and peach orchards were stripped of fruit. Hundrds of telephones were put of commission. Roads were badly washed.

That marriage may it itself constitute deferred classification under the new draft regulations, which are soon to be formulated, was stated by Secretary Baker before the Senate Military Affairs Committee yesterday. "The new regulations are not yet drawn," said the Secretary. "I am inclined to think that the marriage relation will in itself constitute deferred classification. What I want to get in the regulations, if possible, is to have them so that the government does the selecting, rather than putting it up to the individual. That is, where there is a man who ought to be exempted from the point of view of the national interest, I do not want to put the man in the position of having to claim exemption, but have him only answer some questions of fact and let the rules take care of the classification. That is what I am thinking of just now."

Austin F. Lunde, aged 24, of Scandinavian extraction, an inmate of the Government Hospital for the Insane at St. Elizabeth's hanged himself last night with a sheet. Lunde was admitted to the hospital June 10 last, having been sent there by the military authorities at Madison, Wis., his home. He was quiet, the hospital authorities stated last night, and his act was entirely unexpected. Lunde had been drafted and was in camp before his condition was discovered. He has a mother in Wisconsin.

Secretary of War Baker yesterday said: "I have no information on the subject of the morale of the people of Germany except what appears in the various extracts printed in the newspapers from German newspapers, and comments by persons who have access in one form or another to German opinion. It seems more or less clear that the people of Germany are beginning to realize that their army is not invincible and that a victorious force is being built up against them on the French front."

BEATS FATHER TO DEATH.

Youth of 17 Kills Parent in Defense of Mother, Who Was Being Attacked.

Shamokin, Pa., Aug. 12.—Forcing his way into his home, from which he had been estranged for several months, and attacking his wife because she and their two children had refused to permit him to live at home, because of drunkenness, Frank Biegum, 42 years old, was pounded to death with a baseball bat in the hands of his 17-year-old son, Walter.

The killing occurred at Johnson City, one mile east of here, when Belgium was pounding his wife over yesterday morning, rapped at the door and was denied entrance. The enraged man then dived through a window on the first floor and attacked his wife, son and daughter. As Beigum was pounding his wife over the head and threatening to kill her, the son alleges, the boy picked up a baseball bat, wielded it repeatedly over his father's head and finally felled him, continuing to beat him to death.

The boy then summoned a neighbor, requesting that the police be called, and later surrendered himself to County Detective Gill. The lad, who says he acted in self defense of his mother and sister, was sent to jail to await the action of a coroner's jury. An autopsy revealed the father's skull fractured and his neck broken.

BOLD BURGLARIES.

Rob Five Stores in Philadelphia Block And Get $25,000 for Their Labor.

Philadelphia, Aug. 12.—Working at will under the very shadow of City Hall, expert thieves, presumably part of a New York gang, cracked five safes is as many stores at Thirteenth and Market streets, after Saturday midnight, and made a clean "getaway" with loot estimated at $25,000 mostly cash.

At an Odd Fellows picnic held at Gleedsville, Loudoun county, on Saturday last by the colored men belonging to that order, Robert Roye received a pistol shot wound at the hands of James Cleveland and died within a short time. It seems that several negroes were shooting "crap" in the road and Roye remonstrated with them for obstructing he highway, which Cleveland resented. The shooting then commenced and Roye received a mortal wound. He was placed in a buggy and driven rapidly toward Leesburg, but died before reaching that place.

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Accommodation for Quantico at 10:50 a. m daily and 2:53 p. m. Saturdays. Night train leaves 11:48 p. m. daily for Fredericksburg and intermediate stations.

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P. M.—12.00, 12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20, 1.30, 1.40, 1.50, 2.00, 2.10, 2.20, 2.30, 2.40, 2.50, 3.00, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.40, 3.50, 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.40, 4.50, 5.00, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 6.00, 6.10, 6.30, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 7.00, 7.10, 7.20, 7.30, 7.40, 8.00, 8.20, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00 11.20, 11.40. A. M.—12.00.

*Except Sundays and Holidays.

†Except Sundays.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon

A. M.—†5.35, 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.35, 11.35.

P. M.—12.35, 1.35, 2.35, 3.35, 4.35, 5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35, 11.55.

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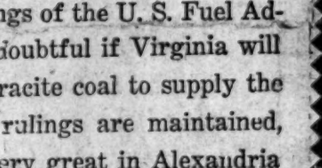

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